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WEATHER REPORT

Partly cloudy and colder tonight; Sunday fair and cold; lowest temperature tonight about 29 degrees

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GERMANS DESTROY SECOND WARSHIP

British Dreadnought Formidable Sunk in English Channel

SIX HUNDRED DROWN.

Audacious Believed to Have Met Her Fate in Similar Way—Both Attacked by Submarines.

London, Jan., 2—The sinking of the battleship Formidable—another vessel which at the bottom of the sea attests to the success of Germany's "whitling down" process—has depressed all of Great Britain.

No naval disaster of the war has so driven home in England the thought that Germany is picking off His Majesty's ships one by one and that the submarine highly developed by the Germans, is doing the work.

Survivors brought in from the English Channel furnish accounts which make it certain that the Formidable was sunk by a submarine. She was torpedoed fore and aft and sunk in ten minutes. She was a ship of the same type as the Bulwark, which was blown up last month and it is now taken as a matter of fact that both vessels were destroyed by submarines and that evasive theories about internal explosions and submarine mines may as well be discarded.

Although the admiralty has never announced officially the loss of the Audacious it is generally conceded here that that vessel, too was sunk by a submarine and this demonstrates that Germany can "whittle down" the British navy both as to pre-dreadnoughts and super-dreadnaughts.

The admiralty still withholds details of the sinking of the Formida-

JUDGE WILL RESIGN

George S. Shackelford to Leave Bench and Resume Practice of Law.

(Special Dispatch to the Gazette)

Richmond, Jan 2.—Judge George S. Shackelford, of the ninth district has announced that he will tender his resignation to Governor Stuart, to take effect about January 15. He will resume the practice of the law.

FIGHT IN SNOW TO ARMPITS.

Turks Defeated by Russians in Bloody Battle Sarikamisch.

Russian Field Headquarters, Tiflis (via Petrograd) Jan. 2.—Enver Pasha, the Turkish minister of war, is in command of the Turkish troops that invaded Transcaucasia and are fighting with the Russians near Sarikamisch.

The Turks made a forced march through deep snow in an effort to deliver a surprise attack against Sarikamisch before re-enforcements could arrive. The battle opened with both sides fighting in snow to their armpits. The Turks were plentifully supplied with ammunition and they must have exercised superhuman exertions to haul it to the front through the enormous drifts. At the outset the Russians were compelled to fall back, fighting all the way, and the Turks were able to occupy Sarikamisch, but the Russian re-enforcements came up and the fight was renewed.

The Turks, attacked from three sides, had only a narrow defile in the rear of their lines for retirement but the fresh Russian troops proved superior and the Turks were driven back into the narrow pass. The Turkish soldiers being jammed in the narrow mountain defile, were slaughtered by thousands.

DIED—December 31st, 1914 JOHN O beloved son of Elizabeth Underwood, aged 20 years and six months. Funeral from Second Presbyterian Church, Sunday, January 3, at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

NEWS OF THE DAY

Le Prensa, of Buenos Aires, prints a dispatch received from Formosa, Argentina, stating that a revolution has broken out in Paraguay

The decision of the British prize court in London in the case of the British steamship Miramichi, loaded with wheat and shipped from America to German consignees prior to the war, was announced here last night by the British embassy. The court held that the wheat was still the property of the American claimants, and ordered that they be paid for it.

Angered because of her refusal to work for him, C. H. Hamm yesterday shot and killed Mrs. George Whitmore, a neighbor, in Hudson, Me. He had been drinking.

A Dunkirk dispatch to the newspaper Tyd, of Amsterdam, says that the town of Westende, in Belgium, has been destroyed by the fire of British warships.

Official denial is made that the German imperial chancellor had sent notice to the Angentine Republic of the annexation of Belgium.

Several persons were killed and many were hurt in a collision between an express train from Clactown and a local passenger train at Great Ilford, a suburb of London yesterday. A number of the victims were so badly mangled that they died while being taken from the wreckage or later in hospitals, and it was estimated that the death list would probably go above twelve.

A German doctor now in Brussels has received the news from a colleague in Berlin that the Kaiser's condition is worse. It is believed generally, according to this authority, that the Kaiser is suffering the same illness as affected his father and his mother, and that this has been aggravated by his strenuous life and continuous cigarette smoking. Sooner or later, this Berlin physician believes, the Kaiser must return to Berlin for an operation, but he is unwilling to leave the front until his troops have gained a crushing victory.

A stray shot fired from a revolver by a celebrant of the New Year killed 12 year old Jennie Krok in Chicago Thursday. Two other children ewre wounded by stray bullets in various parts of the city. The Krok girl was standing on the back porch with her parents at her home to hear the bells and whistles and see the fireworks. While the din was at its height several shots came from the rear of 1616 West Ohio street, and one bullet pierced the girl's head. Four men living at the Ohio street address were placed under arrest.

The New York police are confronted with a mystery which may develop into a second Anna Aumulter case. A boy yesterday afternoon discovered two large bags frozen in the ice of Cony Island Creek in Brooklyn, and reported his find to detectives who discovered that one of the bags cotnained the mutilated torso of a human body. The other sack contained the legs and arms. The head is missing and those portions recovered are so badly mutilated that it is impossible to say whether the victim was a man or a woman. Apparently the bags had lain in the creek for several days.

"There is not the remotest chance of war with England; that the note of protest sent by President Wilson implies hostility toward that country is the sheerest nonsence" asserted former Secretary of State Knox, in an interview yesterday at Valley Forge, Va. "We have had 100 differences with England in the last century that were far more serious than the present one," he said. All of them were adjusted by proper diplomacy. Yet I am in full sympathy with President Wilson's determination to reduce to a minimum the right of England to search our vessels. I don't understand that he challenges that right. He desires, I understand, that England shall exercise it in a way that will least interfere with our commerce."

Norfolk Oysters Daily at the Hotel Rammal.

RUSSIA SHIFTS HER WAR PLANS

Muscovite Movement to Invade Hungary Now in Full Swing.

FORCING THE PASSES.

Suppreme Effort to Crush Austria Instead of Germany—Great Alarm in the Dual Kingdom.

London, Jan. 2—Russia has shifted her war plans, and today the invasion of Hungary is in full sway.

Breaking through the Austrian defensive and forcing the passes of the Carpathians again, the troops of the Czar are debouching out over the plains of Hungary.

The first troops to penetrate the passes of the Carpathians appeared on the eastern ends of the mountain traverses early yesterday morning, and by nightfall had captured a number of Hungarian villages and had reoccupied a great part of the territory which they captured on their first incursion.

There no longer remains any doubt that the Russian general staff is making a supreme effort to crush once and for all the main defensive of the Austrians.

Official dispatches from Vienna announce that Austrian officials believe the main Russian attack is directed against Hungary instead of Germany or western Galicia. Reports from the front say that enormous forces of the Russians have driven their way through the mountain passes and are advancing in four columns from Nysykow, Skyi Turka and Gorlice.

Heading the mighty advance is the crack Eighth Corps, and following it, the report say are the first line troops, evidently drawn from the Polish front.

Grave alarm is sweeping over the dual monarchy. Dispatches from Vienna say that in spite of the attempt of the authorities to allay the growing fear there is great uneasiness there and in Budapest. In official circles it is believed that, unlike the previous raid, this expedition represents the long-cherished ambition of Grand Duke Nicholas for a real invasion of Hungary.

SECOND CHILDHOOD

Emperor Francis Joseph Treated Only With Pathos and Pity.

Vienna, Jan. 2.—Only pathos and pity are aroused by the aged Emperor Joseph in the minds of Austro-Hungarians. In his court he is treated almost as a child. Most of his days he spends in his favorite room in the palace. The monotony is broken only by an occasional visitor.

One of the favorite postals photos of the Emperor now on sale shows him seated at a table, his head bowed in his hands, his face invisible, a picture of helplessness and age. The picture was taken when the Emperor was weeping and his grief was a public one.

The story of it is told by the Viennese in their coffee houses. During the early days of the war the Emperor took great pleasure in visiting the various hospitals and talking with the wounded.

He stopped one day at the bedside of a wounded man.

"My good man can I do anything for you?" he asked.

The soldier did not answer; he did not even turn his head.

A nurse noting the incident, rushed up to relieve the evident embarrassment of the ruler.

"His Majesty is speaking to you" she said to the soldier, and the Emperor repeated his question.

"Yes," said the man, almost shrieking, "you can put a bullet through my head."

"Both of his arms and his legs have been shot away and he is suffering greatly," explained the nurse.

The shock of the incident was too great for the nerves of the aged monarch. He fell into a chair and sobbed aloud while the great tears flowed down his cheeks.

AT THE CHURCHES.

At the First Baptist Church tomorrow the Rev. W. J. Watson, pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. on "A New Year Exhortation," and at 7:45 p. m. on. "A Great Service for the New Year."

Mrs. Hazel Reeder, of Washington, will sing two selections at the evening service tomorrow at the Washington Street M. E. Church. Mrs. Reeder has a remarkable voice of rare sweetness, and will no doubt have many friends to hear her.

The men's meeting in the Westminster Building tomorrow at 3 o'clock will be addressed by Henry C. MacAtee, M. D. of Washington, and his theme will be "Food, Physical and Spiritual." Dr. MacAtee is a physician and will handle the subject in a very able way. All men and older boys are invited.

At the Second Presbyterian Church tomorrow there will be communion and reception of members. At the evening services at 7:30 the annual New Year sermon will be preached by the pastor, the Rev. Dr. John L. Allison. There will be special music by the choir.

At the Second Baptist Church tomorrow morning the Rev. O. W. Triplett, pastor, will preach on "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men."

At the Methodist Protestant Church the Rev. C. R. Strausburg, pastor, will preach tomorrow night on "The Message of the Year Just Passed to the Year Just Arrived." The Christmas carols which was sung at the Sunday School celebration will be repeated.

St. Mary's Church.

First mass at 7 a. m., children's mass 9, Sunday School 9:30, late mass and sermon 10:30, baptisms, 3:30, evening services and benediction 4 o'clock p. m. Mass every Sunday morning St. Rita's Chapel, 9 o'clock at Mount Ida. Masses week mornings 6:30 and 7 o'clock.

Christ Church.

Rev. William J. Morton, rector Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Holy Communion 11 a. m.

Grace Church.

Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector. Holy Communion 7:30 a. m. Sunday School, 9:30. Morning prayer and sermon 11:00. Evening prayer and sermon 7:30 p. m.

St. Paul's Church.

Rev. P. P. Phillips, rector. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Holy Communion 11 a. m.

Lutheran Church.

Rev. C. F. Brandt, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Second Presbyterian Church.

Rev. J. L. Allison, D. D., pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church South

Rev. J. W. Duffey, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Epworth League services at 6:45 p. m. Services and sermon 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Methodist Protestant Church.

Rev. C. R. Strausburg, pastor Services at 11:00 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor 6:45 p. m.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church

Rev. G. A. Luttrell, pastor. Sabbath School, 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m., and 8:00 p. m. Epworth League 6:30 p. m.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. W. F. Watson, pastor. Sunday school at 9.30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Second Baptist Church.

Rev. O. W. Triplett, pastor—Services at 10 a. m. 11 a. m. and 7.45 p. m. Sunday school 9.30 a. m. Prayer services Wednesday evenings at 7.45 o'clock.

Free Methodist Church—Rev. Geo Eakins, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer service at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday.

GERMANY CANNOT MAKE HEADWAY

Initiative at This Time Seems to in Hands of Allies.

IS NOW ON DEFENSIVE

Battle on Two Fronts 1,000 Miles Apart Causes Strain Upon the Resources of the Empire.

London, Jan., 2—The close of the fifth month of the war finds Germany still in occupation of virtually the whole of Belgium, an important tract of French territory in the western theatre of hostilities and a considerable slice of Russian Poland along the eastern battle front 1,000 miles away. It would appear at least she is unable to make further headway.

British commentators call attention to the fact that the initiative for the moment, seems to be in the hands of the allied commanders, and the recent German public utterances to the effect that Germany is waging a defensive war to save her territory from invasion is accepted here as an indirect admission that to battle on two fronts 1,000 miles apart has caused an unanticipated drain on even the great resources of the empire.

There are, however, no illusions in London as to the difficulties confronting the allies. It is recognized that the task of recovering the territory seized by the Germans is little less formidable than the undertaking of Germany when she found herself engaged in warfare against a multiplicity of enemies. Hence the postponement until the allies are able to put more men in the field. Meanwhile each side is continually feeling the strength of its opposing lines.

It is claimed at Petrograd that Field Marshal von Hindenburg's rush for Warsaw was opposed with such success that it has been definitely checked, but German War Office reports state satisfactory progress is being made, except in Galicia, where what practically amounts to a rout of the Austrians forces is evident.

VIRGINIA'S TOBACCO CROP.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—Negotiations are under way between E. L. Morris, of Farmville, and Ambassador Ekengren, of the Swedish embassy, to have the Swedish government purchase a part of the crop of the Virginia dark tobacco growers, which is now almost absolutely without a market.

Mr. Morris wrote to Congressman Walter Watson last week in regard to the matter, and Judge Watson and Congressman Flood, a personal friend of Ambassador Ekengren, arranged for Mr. Morris to present the matter to the ambassador in such shape that he could submit the proposition to the Swedish government.

The Swedish government recently established a monopoly on the tobacco trade in that country similar to that in effect for many years in Italy, Austria and Spain. For several years the Italian, Spanish, Austrian and other European governments have purchased the Virginia dark tobacco directly, through the agency of W. G. Dunnington, of Farmville, who did the purchasing and maintained warehouses, shipping to the European governments as they needed it. On account of the European war these governments are this year out of the market, and the Virginia dark tobacco grower has the crop on his hands—about 5,000,000 pounds.

Morris proposes to sell a part of this crop directly to the Swedish governments, which, being neutral, is in position to handle it. He is supposed here to be a partner of Dunnington. If the deal can be put through it will go a long way towards relieving the financial distress of the Virginia dark tobacco growers.

We extend to all a Happy New Year. Rammel's Cafe.

LOCAL BREVITIES

In Police Court this morning Albert Stewart, colored, charged with housebreaking, was held until Monday until the police could make a further investigation of the charges against him.

The regular January term of the Circuit Court, with Judge J. B. T. Thornton, presiding, will open on next Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

Mt. Vernon Council, Daughters of America, held their regular meeting last night but owing to the absence of some of the officers the installation of officers was postponed until January 15th.

Father Chas. F. Hannigan of Richmond, Pastor of St. Joseph's Catholic Church of this city, will deliver his lecture at the new hall, 319 Cameron St, Sunday Jan 3, at 8 P. M.

BURNS CHILD AND SELF

Philadelphia Mother Pours Kerosene On Clothes and Fires Them. Son Dead; Woman Dying

Philadelphia Jan 2—Mrs. Anthony Rheinholder, a young mother, poured kerosene on the night dress of her sleeping 5 year old son Raymond, saturated her own clothing and while early churchgoers were on their way to New Year services yesterday set fire to herself and child.

Three hours later the little boy died. The mother, who said she was driven to the deed by her husband's cruel treatment, is dying in the Episcopal Hospital.

Mother and child, living pillars of fire, were found writhing on the floor by neighbors, who heard the child's screams as the flames enveloped him.

While the boy was being hurried to St. Christopher's Hospital in a patrol wagon the mother was on her way in an ambulance to the Episcopal Hospital. Physicians could do little more than alleviate the suffering of the child. His case was hopeless from the first. The husband and father, who was under the influence of drink, was locked up, although his wife declared he had no hand in the burning.

KING SHOULDERED RIFLE.

London, Jan. 2.—A dispatch to the Morning Post from Nish says that when the Austrians reached the farthest point of their invasion of Servia King Peter, though suffering from rheumatism hurried to the front and entered the trenches, using a rifle with the soldiers. From this point the Austrians were swept back, and it marked the turn of the tide for the Servians.

A Reuter dispatch from Nish says that according to semi-official figures, since the beginning of the war the Servians have captured four battle flags, 192 guns, thirty-one gun carriages, 491 caissons, eighty-six machine guns, 60,000 rifles and 600 officers and about 60,000 men.

FUNNY STORY COST HIS LIFE.

Swollowed False Teeth in Laughing Fit and Choked.

Washington, Jan. 2.—A funny story cost A. M. Phelps, 50 years old, his life today when he swallowed his false teeth in a fit of laughter and choked to death.

Three physicians worked over the strangling man in an effort to dislodge the teeth form his throat.

Phelps was a piano tuner. He is survived by two daughters—Miss Mamie Phelps and Mrs. Irwin C. Foster—at whose home at Langton, D. C. the tragedy occurred.

MASONIC NOTICE

A called meeting of Alexandria-Washington Lodge, A. F. and A. M. No. 22, will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Masonic Temple for work.

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EXHIBIT READY FOR SHIPMENT

Railroad Car Takes on Furniture for Mount Vernon Replica.

WILL EXHIBIT FARM

To Show Westerners What is Being Done on a Single Farm at Present in the Old Dominion.

Richmond, Jan., 2—Information was received here yesterday that the Virginia car, which will carry the State's exhibit to the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco, has arrived in Washington and the furniture for the Mount Vernon building was put aboard Thursday night and Friday morning.

With the furniture was packed the collection of photographs made by a government expert, showing Virginia agricultural district scenes. The car will arrive here Monday. The agricultural exhibits have been crated, and are ready for shipment. The "single farm" exhibit, which was assembled under the direction of James Bellwood, of Chesterfield, has also been packed and will be put on board Monday morning.

The educational division of the Virginia exhibit, which was assembled by Professor Everett, editor of the Virginia Journal of Education, will be completed Monday, it is believed. It consists largely of photographs and charts. All of the State normal schools were drawn upon for this division of the exhibit, Professor Everett making a tour of the schools and selecting the contribution from each.

The Hampton Agricultural and Normal Institute will have an independent exhibit at the exposition, but this institution has also made a generous contribution to the general educational exhibit. Professor Everett visited the Hampton College and selected the items personally, that make up this section of the State's exhibit.

Professor Everett will leave about January 15 for San Francisco. He will be there in time to receive the Virginia car when it arrives on the exposition grounds. The car will travel over five different railroad systems in its tour across the continent. The trip will consume at least three weeks, the usual time required for reasonably fast freight service.

PEACE WITHIN 1915.

Paris, Jan. 2.—The belief that the year now beginning will see the ending of the war was expressed by President Poincare in an address yesterday to members of the diplomatic corps, who went to the Palace of the Elysee to present New Year's congratulations to the President.

"I do not doubt that next year, at this traditional reception, we shall celebrate together the establishment of a beneficent peace which, solidly based on rectitude and respect for international treaties, will give necessary security to the nations," said the President.

Munich, Jan. 2.—Emperor William, replying to a New Year's telegram from the King and Queen of Bavaria, sent their Majesties the following message:

"I reciprocate your good wishes and those of all Bavarians with all my heart. You speak after my own heart when you say we all have but one thought, which is that a peace, worthy of the sacrifice already made and still to be made, be secured for the beloved fatherland in the new year.

"How splendid in this connection is it that the German Princes and the German peoples are standing together in unchangeable fidelity, with God's help, to achieve with our heroic troops that victory for our just cause which we expect with unshaken confidence. In cordial friendship."

The monthly meeting of the Collingwood Club will be held at their clubhouse on the Potomac tomorrow afternoon.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings in Society.

New Year's afternoon was given over by a great many persons of this city towards helping establish a fund for a very worthy charity. A very large crowd patronized the The Dansant given yesterday in the Elks' Auditorium for the benefit of the district visiting nurse, and it was by far the greatest success of any of the dances given over for charitable purposes this season. A local orchestra rendered splendid dance music and the refreshments of tea, sandwiches, and cake could not be surpassed. Each person in the large number who turned out were well repaid for their attendance.

The success of the dansant was largely due to Miss Kitty Steele Barrett, who planned and arranged the affair. Assisting her in serving tea were Mrs. Percy Evans, Mrs. Robert South Barrett, Miss Anne Lewis Jones, Miss Lucy Anderson, and Miss Sarah Cox.

A feature of the dance was the dancing contest, in which a good many young couples participated.

The winning couple was Miss Lillian Schwarzmann and Mr. Miller, the prize being a handsome Christmas box of bon-bons. The judges were Mrs. Percy Evans, of Warrenton, Miss Ada Garrett, Lieut Charles Maigne, U. S. N., retired, of Washington, and Dr. Thomas B Cochran.

Miss Cora Cochran entertained yesterday afternoon at a New Year's reception in veritable old fashioned Virginia style. Many guests were received and New Year's wishes and greetings went the rounds. Miss Cochran's home, which is furnished with interesting and historical colonial pieces of furniture made an appropriate setting for just such a party. The table from which the guests were served was the one around which the Southern officers in the Battle of Bull Run were gathered when completing the details of the close of the battle.

Every appointment for an enjoyable hour had been arranged, and everyone present had a most pleasant time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lindsey were "at home" informally yesterday afternoon at their home in Braddock Heights.

Mr. William Powell Triplett and his sister, Miss Triplett, of East Orange, N J, are at Mrs. White's, 611 Prince street, for the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Henshaw delightfully entertained New Year's Eve at their home in south Washington street, in honor of their daughter, Marion. The house was beautifully arranged for the Christmas season. Among those present were Misses Anita and Louise Howard, and Ethel Adams, of George Washington Park, Miss Lucille Dienelt, of Rosemont, Misses Jaenette Richards, Lillian Darley, Eddie Dickert, and Messrs. McClary, Sinclair Shelton, Albert Goode, S. Field, Hunt Russell, B. Richards, T. Jones, J Herbert Billings Snider and Jack B. Wells, of this city, and Mr. Ervin Frank, of Washington. Miss Lucile Dienelt served the fruit punch.

TO LATE TO CLASIFY

FOUND—In the market on Thursday a pocketbook, containing some money. The owner can obtain the same by applying to Hillman Bayliss, and paying for this advertisement.

WANTED—NURSE, settled woman preferred, white or colored. Address Box Y, Gazette Office, giving references.

WANTED—Man with real sales ability, capable of earniig $100 or more per month. Fine opportunity for man acquainted with trade in Virginia to build up permanent and profitable business. Stetson Oil Company, Cleveland, Ohio. 2t. 2-2t.

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UNITED STATES COURT

Semi-Annual Term Will Begin in Alexandria on Monday Next At Noon.

The United States Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, with Judge Edmund Waddill, Jr., of Richmond, presiding, will open its semi-annual term on Monday at 12 o'clock in the United States building of this city. There are a number of civil and criminal cases to be disposed of, the latter largely consisting of minor infractions of the revenue and game laws.

The following have been summoned to serve on the grand jury:

H. A. Steward, Charles A. Simpson, Walter Dawson, Henry Cross, Thomas H. Miller, Nalle Thomas, Dr J. O. Hodgkin, Jr., H. F. Davis, W. A. Lipscombe, R. S. Coleman, Crusie Jones, W. A. Snellings, John Hamett, R. R. Walker, Z. T. George J. K. Bryant, sr., Thomas W. Lion, W. M. Nevett, C. S. Bottoms, Otis H. Russell, W. L. White, John M. Griffin and Jake Goldsmith.

The pettit jury will be selected from the following venire:

W. F. P. Reid, George Robinson, Joseph Drew, Isaac Groves, Joseph R. Nowland, Ward Boswell, A. C. Morse, Carter H. Smith, R. H. Dennis, A. J. Armstrong, M. C. Yancey, L. L. Whitestone, W. H. Hatcher, B. B. Bass, Hunter Woodis Charles A. McKenney, J. P. H. Mason, N. B. Denty, Marcus Richardson, William Ferguson, Lawrence Stevens, Jr., A. H. White, A. C. Hammett, S. J. Henry, C. B. Farish R. C. L. Moncure, W. S. Courtney, Sam Burgess and W. S. Stevens.

CHARTER GRANTED.

The Hunyadi Split Corporation of the District of Columbia and Arlington has been granted a charter by the State Corporation Commission with a capital stock of $25,000. Its objects are to manufacture patent medicines: Officers are J. A. Falconer of Washington, president, and C. H. Shephenson, of Arlington, secretary.

Newport News, Jan. 2.—The Crowell and Thurlow Steamship Company of Boston has awarded to the Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock Company a contract to construct a freight steamer to be a duplicate of the Edward Peirce, recently built here for the same company. The vessel is to cost approximately $400,000 and is to be delivered in eleven months.

DEATH OF PHINEAS JANNEY.

Phineas Janney, for several years in business in this city, died on Thursday in Baltimore after a long illness. His funeral took place today from his former home at Lincoln, Loudoun county. The deceased had many friends and relatives in this city.

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Biograph Drama
The Way Home
Drama of regeneration.

Coming Monday
The Million Dollar Mystery

WEDNESDAY
Francis X. Bushman in the 3 part production THE BATTLE OF LOVE

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Citizens National Bank, held December 28th the regular semi-annual dividend of 6 per cent was declared, payable on or after January 2nd, 1915.

Richard M. Green, Cashier.

We extend to all a Happy New Year. Rammel's Cafe.

UNITED STATES COURT TAKEN IN CUSTODY

Herman Hyter, Shot by Carroll D. Wolfe November 22, Arrested After Leaving Hospital.

Deputy Sheriff Dove, of Fairfax county, arrived in this city this morning with a warrant for the arrest of Herman Hyter, colored who was shot on November 22, by Carroll Wolf, who operates a dairy in Fairfax county near this city. He is charged with assault with intent to kill. Hyter it will be remembered had been working at the dairy, but having drank himsef drunk was discharge and ordered off the premises. When Wolf left his place in his milk wagon for this city he was followed by Hyter, who was accompanied by another negro named Ollie Grayson. When Wolf reached the Hunting Creek road the two negroes began to throw rocks at the vehicle, which caused Wolf to use his pistol. Hyter was struck in the left side by a bullet, and later R. D. Wolf, father of the young man who did the shooting, who was following the wagon in a buggy, brought the wounded man to the Alexandria Hospital.

Justice Kerby subsequently investigated the shooting and held both negroes for the action of the grand jury.

Hyter left the hospital today and was walking about the city when the Deputy Sheriff arrived. After having the warrant endorsed in this city, he summoned Officer Roberts, who took Hyter in custody. Deputy Sheriff Dove will take his prisoner to Fairfax Court House next week.

JURY VIEW BODY.

A coroner's jury summoned by Dr T. M. Jones, city coroner, met yesterday afternoon at Wheatley's undertaking establishment, and viewed the body of John Underwood, who died from injuries sustained by being struck by a switch engine of the Southern Railway. The jury adjourned until Thursday night when testimony will be taken. The jury is composed of John G. Cockey, Benedict Weil, H. H. Newton Talbott H. McCuen, Thomas S. Hall and James B. Martin.

DEATH OF MRS. RAMBO.

Mrs. Grace Rambo, nee Fletcher, wife of Richard C. Rambo, died in Camden, New Jersey, yesterday. Her remains were brought here today and taken to the residence of her mother, 1010 King street, from which place the funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services will be conducted by the Rev. W. F. Watson, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist Church.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Columbia Granite and Dredging Corporation will be held at Rooms 1 and 2 Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Virginia, on Thursday, January 21, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

G. A. BONNET, Secretary.
Jan. 2nd, 1 a. w. -3wk.

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria on the 1st day of January 1915.

Harriett Etta Beander
vs IN CHANCERY
Rachel Jennette Beander, widow of Philip Henry Beander, deceased, Edward Francis Beander, and Beander, his wife, Edna O. Jenkins, and Alexander Jenkins, her husband and Francis Augustine Beander, an infant under the age of fourteen years.

MEMO. The object of this suit is to have partition of the real estate and personal property of which Philip Henry Beander deceased, died seized and possessed or entitled to, amongst the heirs of the said Philip Henry Beander, or to have a sale thereof and the proceeds of the said sale distributed amongst those entitled to the same, and for a settlement of the estate of he said Philip Henry Beander, deceased.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants Edward Francis Beander and Beander his wife are non residents of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper, published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk
H. Noel Garner, P. Q. 2-w 4w

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A strong Lubin two part feature.

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Featuring Miss Lillian Walker and Donald Hall.

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Presenting Miss Norma Talmadge in an appealing two part Vitagraph production.

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The villianous Uncle and the Squashville school.

WHAT WILL THE NAME BE?

From out of a great mind a wonderful moving picture serial has just been created. That picture will be seen on the Richmond Screen every week for fourteen weeks—you will find Miss Pearl White who played Pauline in the 'Perils of Pauline' to be the heroine in this new great detective series. We will make a special effort to tell you the Name and Date by the first of next week. WAIT

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LET THE BELGIANS COME ALONG.

The action of the executive committee of the State Federation of Labor in discouraging the movement towards welcoming Belgian agriculturists to Virginia is not deemed wise by many other people in the state. These victims of war, not brought on by any act of their own, should, it is thought, be welcomed to our commonwealth, where they may be afforded opportunities to make [illegible] of the soil.

For many years comp[illegible] has been made of the fact that too many young men, born in rural districts [illegible] States, have rushed to the cities, and that large tracts of good land are allowed to grow up in weeds. The cost of the necessaries of life will always be high as long as a state of affairs exists.

It is stated by those who know that only twenty per cent of the land in the Old Nation is under cultivation, and many of our own people ignore opportunities afforded them by [illegible] to cause the ground to bring abundantly. those who appreciate such conditions should [illegible] opportunity to obtain [illegible]

[illegible] coming to our shores [illegible] Germany, [illegible] other European countries where land is scarce and the inhabitants are crowded for elbow room, often stand aghast when they see so much land untilled. In those countries nearly every foot is under cultivation. Even the railway embankments are utilized. The area composing the back yards of many Alexandrians would be sufficient for Europeans to grow all the potatoes, cabbage, turnips, etc., their families would need during the year.

Hundreds of acres of idle land surround the city of Alexandria. Any movement looking toward bringing about more satisfactory conditions should be encouraged. It is also a fact that the limited number of agriculturists in nearly all States find it difficult to obtain farm labor at times. If our own people will not work, why not allow others to do so?

"TO SUCH BASE USAGE MUST WE COME AT LAST."

A correspondent of a Paris newspaper recently made a visit to the Peace Palace at The Hague. All was silent as in Tara's Hall. Instead of the dove of peace, the shadow of the double-faced Janus, whose temple has been open during the past five months, was casting his shadow over the place. The last scene of any animation in the palace was produced by a fight which took place within the sacred precincts when a number of tourists representing the nations now at war engaged in a fist fight and were forcibly ejected by the attaches. Another sad scene was witnessed by the correspondent during his visit. A lone secretary was seated at a table with a stack of papers before him. They referred to a quarrel between a church congregation and a church society as to which should receive a certain legacy.

APPALLING FIGURES OF WAR

At the end of the old year foreign statisticians computed that five months of the greatest war of history had cost the nations involved 6,000,000 men (killed, wounded, and captured) and $7,000,000,000.

And yet we are told in some quarters that the war has merely commenced. If such a ghastly array of numerals confronts the world after five months' carnage, it is but reasonable to suppose, if the war is continued until this time next year that these amounts will be augmented three-fold.

FEEDING THE ENGLISH SPARROW.

"In reminiscent mood, the editor of the Alexandria Gazette relates: 'In bygone years the tiny wrens, driven from the woods by snow, were wont to perch upon our window sills looking in at blazing fires and full tables and, by their actions, letting us know they were hungry. Housekeepers should raise the windows and place crumbs for the entertainment of the innocent visitors. The editorial reverie finds its climax in an appeal to the Alexandria folks to feed the famishing English sparrows. The Gazette's pro-German readers, of course, are not expected to give heed or feed."—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

(Communicated.)

Let everybody go to church tomorrow the first Sunday in the New Year Let every one say to his friend or acquaintance. "Come, let us go to Church. Let not only these men women and children of explicit denomination but any one—Parthians, Medes and Elamites, Cretes and Arabians Jews and Gentiles and proselytes— let us crowd Alexandria Churches tomorrow to the doors.

The people of this city are cognizant of organized religion and naturally reverential of all things that are "Holy—of good Repute." Let us give the spirit of church going, a great impulse which will carry constructive influence into lives of many.

It will be so appropriate a celebration of the first Sunday in the year, nineteen hundred and fifteen. Like all the years the one just past was one of stress, perplexity and strain and it is well that the lessons worth remembering be impressed upon us, and it is right and proper that the most infrequent church goer whether a native of the city or a stranger within our gates ally himself with some church of definite creed and message and traditons if only spasmodically.

Our spirits need renovation as well as our bodies and a more appropriate time cannot be selected for such a healthful process. As the misty spirit of the old year wreathed away into the dark dim past the angels of God sang the birth hymns of the New Year. So let us catch the inspiring strains of the dying music still lingering in the happy air of the New Year; so let us all lay aside the "Sunday newspaers"—the "Marys and Marthas" and the Kettles and Pans," and all go to church, crowd them to the doors and we will all receive an inspiration that will go with us all through the year—for good and helpfulness to all. We should not neglect the assembling of ourselves together and ought always to feel glad when they say unto us, "Let us go into the house of the Lords."

S. B. W.

NOTICE.

Annual meeting of the members of the German Co-Operativ Building Association No. 5, all Series will be held Thursday, January 14th, 1915, at 7:30 p. m. at their office, 612 King Street.

JUSTUS SCHNEIDER, Secretary.
2-2t.

At a Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, continued and held at the Court house of said City on Tuesday, December 22nd, 1914.

Annie M. Holcer, Complainant,
vs IN CHAUNCERY.
Harry P. Holcer, Defendant

An affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is a non resident of the State of Virginia, upon the application of the Complainant in writing, stating specifically the last known address of the defendant, the Court of this 22nd day of December, 1914, doth grant the following order of publication:

The object of this suit it to obtain for the Complainant a divorce from the bond of matrimony from the defendant on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment for a period of more than three years before the bringing of this suit, and for the custody of the minor children of the parties, and for general relief, and it is ordered that the defendant do appear withing fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and it is further ordered that a copy of this order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia; that a copy be posted at the front door of the Courthouse in the said City on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order, and that a copy of said order of publication shall be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court, addressed to the said defendant Harry P. Holcer at Jersey City, New Jersey, his last known place of address.

A copy Teste:

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk
Charles Bendheim, P. Q.

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How many hospital patients, suffering the frightful itch, the raw scorching pain of skin disease, have been soothed, to sleep by a soothing fluid washed in by the nurse's hands?

That fluid is the famous D. D. D. Prescription for eczema.

THE SUPERVISING NURSE of one of our prominent Catholic institutions (name of nurse and institute on application), writes regarding a patient. "The disease had eaten her eyebrows away. Her nose and lips had become disfigured. Since the use of D. D. D. her eyebrows are growing, her nose and face have assumed their natural expression."

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the McLachlen Banking Corporation for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of other business, will be held at the office of the Company, No 123 South Royal Street, Alexandria, Va. January 12th 1915, at 11 o'clock A. M.

A. M. McLACHLEN, President.
A. M. McLACHLEN, Secretary.

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Stockholders Meeting of the American Rutile Company.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the American Rutile Co., will be held at the office of the company No. 111 South Fairfax St, Alexandria, Virginia, on Monday the 4th of January, 1915, from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P M. for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as can be lawfully considered. The transfer books will be closed for 10 days prior to the 4th day of January.

W. M. SLATER, President
ALBERT HARPER, Sec. and Treas.
9—10t

MASONIC NOTICE.

A stated convocation of Mt. Vernon Chapter, No. 14, Royal Arch Masons, will be held tomorrow night, January 1st, at 7:30 o'clock.

By Order of the High Priest.
31-2t. A. G. UHLER, Secretary.

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At a Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, continued and held at the Court house of said City on Thursday, December 24th, 1914 Present, Hon. Louis C. Barley, Judge.

Arthur Delaney
vs In Chancery.
Lottie Swan Delaney.

An affidavit having been duly made as required by law, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and that she cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this State, and the Sergeant having made a return upon the original process or summons issued herein that the defendant is a non resident of his baliwick and application having been duly made in Open Court for an order of publication against the defendant to appear and answer a bill in chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years, prior to the institution of this suit and an order of publicaion having been duly granted in open court, is is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within 15 days after due publication hereof to answer the suit of complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful desertion and desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and to do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be pubished once a week for four sucessive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria City, Va, and that a copy be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court to the last known place of address, residence and abode of defendant, town: Bladensburg Road, Washington, D. C. as stated in the application for his order of publication which shall be certified by the Clerk of this Court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court house of this court on or before the next rule day of this court.

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The New Poli Players Present for the First time in Washington.
"Big Jim Garrity"
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And as played by John Mason At the New York Theater New York. Indorsed by the pulpit press, and public. A $2.00 attraction at popular prices.
Week of January 4th—The Passers By

Why Not Publish It?
When you want a fact to become generally known, the right way is to publish it. Mrs. Joseph Kallans, Peru Ind., was troubled with belching sour stomach and frequent headaches. She writes, "I feel it my duty to tell others what Chamberlain's Tablets have done for me. They have helped my digestion and regulated my bowels. Since using them I have been entirely well." For sale by all deal-

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In effect October 18, 1914

N. B.—Following schedule figures are published only as information and are not guaranteed.

Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria.

7:47 A. M., Daily—Local between Washington & Danville delivers connection daily except Sunday at Orange to C & O. No. 403 for Gordonsville and Richmond.

8:47 A. M. —Daily— Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

8:37 A. M. Daily— U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points south to which scheduled to stop First class coaches Sleeping cars to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service. Stops at Calverton to let off Warrenton branch passengers.

10:32 A. M. Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville, and Greensboro. Sleeping car from Greensboro to Atlanta.

3:52 P. M. Daily— local for Charlottesville connesting at Calverton for Warrenton.

4:52 P. M. Daily—Birmingham Special Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Columbus, Anniston, Birmingham, Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham, Dining car service Tourist to California daily.

4:12 P. M. —Limited for Harrisonburg and way Stations on Manassas branch. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

6:12 P. M.—Local for Warrenton.

6:12 P. M.—The Southern's South eastern Limited, for Ashville, Columbia, Charleston, Aiken, Augusta Savannah and Jacksonville. Through Pullmon Drawing room sleeping cars coaches dining cars.

10:02 P. M.—Daily Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga. Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke, Dining car service.

11:02 P. M. Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining Car Service.

4:27 A. M. Daily— Memphis special Sleeping car and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville,, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining Car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets Pullman reservations, etc apply to
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CHARLES H. LEHEW
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H. F. CARY, Gen'l Pass Agent 705 15th Street N. W Washington. D. C.
C. W. WESTBURY, Gen. Agt.

NOTICE.

The forty-sixth annual meeting of the Independent Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Fairfax County, Va., will be held at the Company's office on Monday January 11th 1915 at ten o'clock A. M.

WALTER ROBERTS, President.

THE ALEXANDRIA NATIONAL BANK.

Alexandria, Virginia.
December 12. 1914.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders will be held at the Banking House on Tuesday January 12, 1915, at eleven o'clock A. M., for the election of directors, and such other business as may regularly come before the meeting.

J. L. PERRY, CASHIER.

CLASSIFIED ADS

For Rent, Help Wanted, Lost, For Sale, Business Opportunities, etc., one time, 25c; 2 times, 40c; 3 times, 50c; one week, $1.00.

Legal Advertisements, Proposals, Orders of Publication, first insertion, 50c, per inch, each subsequent consecutive insertion, 25 cents per inch.

Memorial Notices, Deaths, Funerals, Births and Marriages, 50 cents each. For Memorial Notices containing Poetry, 25c additional for

Lost— A white poodle dog Tuesday night from 816 Princess street, answering to the name of Pinky. Reward of $5.00 if returned to this office. 30-9t.

WANTED—Girl for general housework and cooking. Good wages. Apply at 114 South St. Asaph street immediately. 29-3t.

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One of the Choicest building sites in Geo Washington Park fronting on King street over looking Rosemont, Alexandria and having an excellent river view. 75x100 or more. Bargain to quick buyer.

Address owner, Box 74 Alexandria Va.,

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AUTOMOBILE, 55 horse power, in perfect condition, fully equipped. $800 original cost, $5,000. Apply Virginia Garage, Alexandria, Va.

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FOR RENT—1221 Prince street, 6 room detached frame house with sewer connections, range in kitchen, bath and toilet, hot and cold water. Large yard with poultry run inclosed. Shed in rear of lot with packing loft. Southern exposure. Situated on one of the main residential streets and convenient to car line and shops. Apply F. M. JONES, 302 north Columbus street. 28-1wk.

LOST—On Saturday a ladies gold pin with K. of C. emblem. Reward if returned to 1804 Duke street.

WOMEN'S EXCHANGE.

Open Monday, December 7th For information regarding membership etc. Apply 123 North Fairfax Street.

Washington Southern Ry.

Schedule in effect April 12, 1914.

For Washington and points north, daily at 3:08 A. M., 8.43, 8:53, 11:13, 12:01, 1:18, 2.30 through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 6:19. 8:18, 11:33 p. m., week days, at 6:07 p. m., Sundays only 8:07 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond, and points south at 4:37, 7:53, (local) and 10:17 a. m., 12:16, 3:22 5:17 (local) 7:47, 9:47, p. m. daily.

Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 11:13 a m., daily except Saturday, when train leaves 2:18 p.m. This train runs through to Milford exept Saturdays and Sundays.

NOTE:—Times of arrival and departure and connections not guaranteed.

W. P. TAYLOR, Traffic Mgr.

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Armory Hall Skating Rink
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Orchestra Every Night
Arrangements can be made for private parties from 10:30 P. M. to

First National Bank of Alexandria, Va., December 23, 1914.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, the regular semi-annual dividend of six per cent, and a special dividend of three per cent, were declared, payable on or after January 1st, 1915.

Geo.. E. Warfield, Cashier.

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PLAN BIG SHELL PLANT

Business Men of Richmond, Va, Expect a $17,000,000 Order

Richmond, Jan. 2.—Fritz Sitterding and other local capitalists have begun the organization of a company to establish a plant for the manufacture of shrapnel for which it is understood an order for $17,000,000 will be placed within a short time by one of the foreign countries now engaged in the war.

The shrapnel will be about fourteen inches in length, and all will be of the same size.

The $17,000,000 order is the first that will be placed in what promises to develop into an expenditure of $39,000,000.

It is said that 750,000 shrapnel shells will be ordered for delivery within the next twelve months. The cost will be $50 each. The plant will employ a large number of men. Organization of the company will be hastened.

KAISER'S NEW YEAR ADDRESS

Looks Toward Additional Victories for Fatherland in 1915.

Berlin, Jan. 2.—New deeds and new victories for the beloved Fatherland in 1915 are called for in the New Year's Day address issued by the Emperor to the German people.

The complete text, as made public, is as follows:

"After five long months of heavy and hot fighting we enter the new year.

"Brilliant victories have been gained and great successes achieved.

"The German army almost everywhere is on the enemy's territory.

"The repeated attempts of the enemy to swarm German territory with their legions have everywhere failed.

"My ships have covered themselves with glory on every sea. The crews have proven not only that they knew how to fight, but how to die like heroes when overwhelmed by superior forces.

"Behind the army and the navy stands the entire German people in unexampled harmony prepared to sacrifice its heart's blood for the sacred domestic hearth which we are defending against an outrageous invasion. Much has come to pass in the old year, but our enemies are still firmly kept low. There are always fresh hordes rolling up against our army and the armies of our faithful allies.

"But the numbers have not frightened us. Although times may be serious and the task before us be a heavy one, we look forward into the future with the firmest confidence. Next to God's wise guidance I trust to the marvelous bravery of our army and navy and know myself to be one with the entire German nation.

"Therefore, let us face the new year unflinchingly looking forward to new deeds and new victories for the beloved Fatherland."

SCARE IN CONSTANTINOPLE..

Moslem Capital About to Fall—Adrianople Evacuated.

Athens, Jan 2.—Great news may soon be reported from Constantinople which, it seems probable, will be the first enemy capital to fall. The Turks have abandoned all idea of taking the offensive. A state of panic prevails in the city. All the government archives have been placed for safety at the German and Austrian embassies and the holy relics have been removed to Broussa, whither the Sultan and his entourage are making ready to follow. All the available men, about 150,000 are concentrated in the city.

The Austrian and German embassies, according to the report, are transfering these archives together with their own, to Asia Minor, fearing that action by the British and French fleets against the Dardanelles and the capital is imminent. Foreigners also are preparing to quit the capital for the interior.

Adrianople practically has been evacuated and the heavy guns removed to Chatalja, which has been fortified. There is frenzied intrenching work in progress along the shores of the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus and in the island and heavy preparations are being made to resist the passage of a hostile fleet.

An attack on Egypt has been definitely abandoned and the troops recalled to defend the Asiatic side of the straits of Broussa. Thus the holy war has been transformed into a last desparing stand of Turkey in Europe.

Constantinople is awaiting breathessly the next move, and all German families are fleeing from the city.

DISTRESSING EXPERIENCE

For Two Days Husband Suffers From Cold and Hunger in Room of Death.

Winchester, Va., Jan. 2.—R. W. Coffman, an aged Confederate veteran and helpless invalid was found by neighbors Thursday morning, scantily clad, suffering from hunger and exposure and clinging to the body of his wife, who had been dead nearly two days in their home near Edinburg. Mrs. Coffman is believed to have suffered an attack of heart disease and her husband, with great effort, rolled over the floor to her bedside in a desperate effort to help her. The fire went out and he lay cold and hungry nearly two days. Physicians fear he will die.

$900 AS REWARD

Bristol, Va., Jan. 2.—The mystery surrounding the recent sensational murder of Policeman I. H. Pipen, of Big Stone Gap, several weeks ago, has been solved by the capture of B. Potter. The latter confessed to the killing and the captors will receive rewards aggregating $900. He is now in the Wise county jail. The killing was the climax to a reign of lawlessness at Big Stone Gap.

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA.

In the matter of
New Washington Brick Company, a corporation, In Bankruptcy
Alleged Bankrupt.

To all creditors of the New Washington Brick Company.

Please take notice: That the White Oak Coal Company, a corporation, William C. Robinson and Son Company, a corporation, and William L. King, whose petition was theretofore filed in the above entitled cause, having filed a second petition in this matter, asking that the petition heretofore filed by them be dismissed and said proceedings in bankruptcy likewise dismissed, all creditors of the alleged bankrupt are directed to appear before the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, at its Court room in the City of Alexnadria, Virginia, on Wednesday, the 6th day of January 1915, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause why the prayer of said second petition shoud not be granted and this proceeding dismissed. 26— 10t.

Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria Clerk's Office, December 22, 1914.

Alda Reppert Snead
vs In Chancery
William C Snead

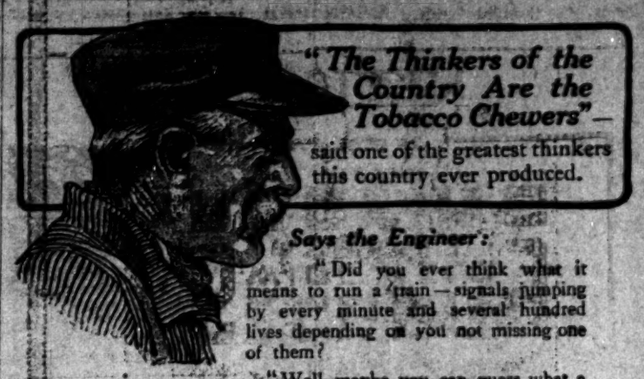
Upon written application of the complainant stating specifically the last known place of abode of the defendant, and it appearing to the Clerk that process has been issued and returned by the Sergeant of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, showing that the defendant was not found within the jurisdiction of this Court, the Clerk, on the 22nd day of December, 1914, doth grant the following order of publication:

The object of this suit is to secure a decree for divorce a mensa et thoro from the defendant, on the ground of abandonment and desertion, and for general relief, and an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant William C. Snead is a non resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear here within fifteen days after due publication of said order of publication and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy of said order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazettee, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Va., that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court house of the Circuit Court of said City on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered; and that a copy of said order of publication shall be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court addressed to the said non-resident defendant at National Hotel, Washington, D. C. his last known place of abode.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY
Clerk.

P. Q. James R. and H. B. Caton.



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